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Attacked by Bees.

J. M. Logan, democratic candidate for assessor, had a very unpleasant experience Friday. He was out button-holing the festive voter, northeast of town, and called upon a farmer who was robbing a stand of bees. The visitor did not discover the bees until he was right in their midst, and the time he made in getting of that farm would put some of the cyclers to shame.

A Big Crop of Wheat.

Mr. John Banks is one of Missouri's most successful wheatraisers. While others were plowing up their grain his fields were doing unusually well, and he informed a BAZOO representative yesterday that the 250 acres on his place have averaged over twenty bushels to the acre. Is there a farmer in this section with as large an acreage who can make as good a showing?

A Run to Smithton.

Joe Kelly, "Boots" Guerrant, Jim Looney, Billy Klein, Charlie Ellis, Billy Rogers, Joe Hutsinger, Tom Flannagan, J. M. Ploger, Wid Logan, Charlie Koock (captain) and Billy Kugler, of the Sedalia Cycle club, will have an official run to Smithton today. They will leave the club room at 7 a. m., take dinner at Smithton, and return at 4 p. m.

A New School Building.

The school board have purchased three lots at the southwest corner of Sixth and Massachusetts streets, on which they will erect a frame school house in the near future. It will remain on that site only a couple of years, however, when it will be removed to the suburbs for use and a substantial brick structure substituted.

Will Meet at Jefferson City.

The grand lodge of the I. O. G. T. of Missouri will meet at Jefferson City next Tuesday, and Justice Fisher and other Sedalians will leave at noon to-morrow to be in attendance. Just think for an instant of a Good Templar gathering in Sleepy Hollow, where there is more and viler liquor than in any other place in America!

Lights Last Night.

The patrons of the Sedalia Electric Light company were happy last night. The armature that was burned out Tuesday night by the electrical storm was replaced during the day by a duplicate from Pittsburg, Pa., and the incandescent lights were burning as usual last night.

Hibbard' Rheumatic Liver Pills

These pills are scientifically compounded, uniform in action. No gripping pain so commonly following the use of pills. They are adapted to both adults and children with perfect safety. We guarantee they have no equal in the cure of Sick Headache, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Bilelessness, and, as an appetizer, they excel any other preparation. W. E. Bard, druggist.

Alleged Peace Disturber.

Wayman Wells, who is charged with having disturbed the peace at Beaman on the Fourth, was arrested Friday evening by Constable Ramsey and will have a hearing before Justice Fisher next Friday.

Elected Vice President.

Dr. George S. Shepard, of this city, was elected vice president of the Missouri Dental association at Pertle Springs on Friday, on which day the annual convention adjourned. The honor was worthily bestowed.

Entitled to the Best.

All are entitled to the best that their money will buy, so every family should have, at once, a bottle of the best family remedy, Syrup of Figs, to cleanse the system when constipated or bilious. For sale in 5c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

ARRESTED IN TEXAS.

Smith, the Companion of Turlington, is in Custody at Fort Worth.

The BAZOO to-day wired the editor of the Fort Worth, Tex., Gazette, asking if W. E. Smith, the accomplice of J. A. Turlington in the Pryor Creek, I. T., train robbery, had been arrested, and this afternoon the following reply was received:

Fort Worth, Tex.,—[Special]—A Pacific Express car was robbed near Crowley, thirteen miles south of Fort Worth, last fall. Several bags of Mexican dollars, some \$4,000 in all, were taken from the car and as much of the silver as the robbers could carry was taken away.

The balance of the money was scattered all over the prairie in the vicinity of the robbery, and for days after the daring affair occurred, Mexican "dobies" were picked out of the black "waxy" for miles around.

The detectives with the Pacific express company have been quietly at work on the case ever since, but so close have their operations been that the public was of the opinion that all efforts to capture the desperadoes had been abandoned. Only within the last few hours has a clew been secured.

Last night Superintendent Aiken and four detectives arrived in Ft. Worth from Dallas and were at once closeted with Sheriff Richardson and Deputy Sheriff Rea in a room at the Elks hotel.

About half-past eleven Sheriff Richardson and Rea repaired to the corner of Twelfth and Rusk streets, and on complaint of the Pacific Company officials arrested Temple, a strapping man of about thirty years, who has been working in a bar room in that neighborhood for some time.

The officers hoped that Temple would divulge something with regard to the robbery, as it is known that several others implicated in the robbery are in this neighborhood.

While Temple refuses to say anything, Sheriff Richardson stated that several other arrests would probably be made.

Tuesday night a woman of ill fame named Mabel Woods committed suicide. Her effects were taken charge of by the county authorities. Among the letters found in her trunk was one in regard to the Crowley train robbery, which gave the pointers on which Temple was arrested. Supt. Aiken says that something over \$1,800 stolen from the express company at Weatherford has been recovered. It was buried in the ground near the Weatherford depot. Temple and the gang to which he belongs are believed to have been engaged in other train robberies.

This settles it. Messenger Johnson, as will be seen elsewhere in this issue, would not admit that he had identified Turlington, but the information from Texas makes it certain that he did.

The name Temple is an alias for Smith.

Figures That Speak.

An evidence of the growth and prosperity of Sedalia is the demand for business houses on Ohio street. Charles Minter said to a BAZOO reporter yesterday: "There are at least twenty-five applications for storerooms, on Ohio street, which cannot be supplied. Last year I rented a room for \$35 per month and recently I have repeatedly refused to let it at \$75 per month. That will give you an idea of how rents have advanced owing to the great demand for choice sites on Sedalia's principal thoroughfare."

There is also a demand for business houses on other streets, and residence houses are almost unobtainable at present. However, the large number of cottages and residences in course of erection in different portions of the city will supply homes for a great many families in the early fall.

'Twill Be a Busy Month.

Sedalia promises to be lively next month. On the 12th of August the state convention of the Farmers' and Laborers' Union will convene here, with some 300 delegates in attendance and remain in session two days. On the 14th of the month the State Sunday school convention will be called to order, the session being of four days' duration. The two conventions disposed of, the Missouri State Fair steps in on the 19th of the month and holds forth during the remainder of the month. And yet Jack Gibbs says newspaper reporters have nothing to do but draw their salaries.

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EX-CONFEDERATES MEET.

Arrangements Perfected to Attend the Reunion at Nevada.

The ex-confederates of Pettis county held an adjourned meeting at Cassidy's hall on East Main street at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. There was a large attendance of the old veterans and much important business was transacted.

The executive committee, consisting of R. P. Archer, chairman; Joseph Green, Captain Gunn and Captain Robert Bonner, was instructed to represent Pettis county at the re-union which is to be held at Nevada on August 21.

A committee, consisting of R. P. Archer, Senator Richardson and Joseph Green, was appointed to provide badges for the veterans of Pettis county who will accompany the executive committee to the re-union.

It was also decided to circulate a subscription list to secure a fund to be used in securing the location of the Missouri Ex-Confederate Home near Sedalia. It is believed that institution can be brought to Sedalia if the people of the city will take an active interest in the matter.

Understands His Business.

David Ramsey, the Second street undertaker, is a gentleman who thoroughly understands his business. When the body of Charles W. Stanfield, who was drowned Friday night, was taken to the undertaking room, the face was rapidly turning black, and Mr. Ramsey at once set to work to restore it to its natural color. For three long hours he worked to that end, and these who viewed the body last evening pronounced the features as natural as life, as though the deceased was in a deep slumber instead of the cold embrace of death.

Found Dead in Bed.

T. W. Jones, a farmer 50 years of age, who resided sixteen miles north of Sedalia, and a cousin of J. M. Jones, of this city, was found dead in bed Friday morning. He had not been feeling well for a few days, but on retiring Thursday evening remarked that he felt a little better. The next morning when his wife awoke he was discovered dead in bed, his demise being attributed to general debility.

Depart for Home To-Night.

Mr. Edward Lecompte, secretary of the state of Maryland, and wife, will depart for home to-night, after a brief but remarkably pleasant visit here. Mr. Lecompte pronounces Sedalia a wonderful young city, and her people as progressive as any he has ever met. "Keep up your street paving, sewer and other improvements," he said, "and your possibilities are such as even your most enthusiastic citizens do not dream of."

Meet Here August 27.

The republican congressional convention for this (Sixth) district will meet in Sedalia on Wednesday, August 27, to nominate a candidate for congress, as a representative of the BAZOO was informed last evening by P. H. Sangree, chairman of the committee.

SPINNING COCOONS.

Silk Worms at Work in East Sedalia—An Infant Industry.

During the past few days the handsome cottage residence of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Sawdey, No. 1316 East Seventh street, has been thronged with visitors to see the little weavers of raw silk at work. The second story of the residence is given up entirely to the little army of 8,000 silk makers and like the little bee as fabled in song and story, each and every one improves each minute, night and day. From berth till the moment when they have spun around themselves their own winding sheets of purest white and softest texture to await their resurrection in a more beautiful form—from the ugly worm to the beautiful moth with wings—their existence is one of ceaseless toil.

Mr. and Mrs. Sawdey did not originally intend to engage in silk culture, but desiring to obtain information in regard to it wrote to Congressman Heard asking him to furnish them with such printed matter in regard to the subject as was provided by the government. In reply they received on June 1st a letter from Mr. Heard, a small metal box containing one-fourth of an ounce of silk worm eggs, and a book of instructions detailing the modus operandi of hatching the eggs and caring for the worms and their products.

The one-fourth of an ounce of eggs were carefully spread over a board not over two foot square and placed in a closed room which was kept at a temperature of from 80° to 90° Fahrenheit. The eggs were of a dull lead color and no bigger than the head of a pin. On the 8th of the month the eggs began to hatch and ranged in size from one-thirty-second to one-eighth of an inch in length. As soon as they were hatched they were ready for business. They were then supplied with green osage orange leaves. The rapidity with which the eggs hatched furnished constant employment for Mrs. Sawdey, the ravenous black worms, as they changed in color from black to white and white to cream or yellow, requiring fresh leaves almost hourly. Finally they made life almost a burden to the amateur in silk culture. At first the rearing of the worms was an interesting study, but when 8,000 full developed leaf-destroyers demanded their daily rations and almost constant care, the worm assumed the proportions of a white elephant, and Mrs. Sawdey declares this is her first and last venture in silk culture.

The silk worms are now completing the last stage of their short life work. The layers of osage brush are filled and covered with full grown worms. Those which hatched first have performed their work, have spun their cocoon and entered the chrysalis state. Some are just spinning the anchorage for their living tomb, while others may be seen through a thin silky veil weaving around their bodies their downy burial cases. The industry of

the silk makers can be seen in all its stages, and a visit to their workshop or factory is worth making. The worm itself is an ugly looking creature, about two inches in length, and with a head that resembles the caput of a rhinoceros. The cocoons are an oblong case of silk ranging in color from white to delicate cream tints. The cocoons must be thoroughly steamed in about three weeks after its completion in order to kill the moth on the inside. If not steamed the moth would eat its way out of the cocoon, thus destroying it for commercial purposes. After being steamed they are then in a condition to be reeled for shipment. Mrs. Sawdey will probably send the cocoons to a Philadelphia or Patterson, New Jersey, silk manufactory, and as they are worth their weight in gold will bring her quite a sum of pin money.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.
COUNTY OF PETTIS, ss.
In the probate court, James C. Thompson, administrator of Bettie Hopkins, deceased. Order of publication.
To Mary S. Hopkins and Cora Hopkins, heirs of Bettie Hopkins, deceased, and all others interested.

You are hereby notified that James C. Thompson, administrator of Bettie Hopkins, deceased, presents to the court his petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, lists and inventories required by law in such case. On examination whereof it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and unless the contrary be shown on or before the first day of the next term of this court, to be held on the second Monday of August next, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered, that this notice be published in some newspaper in this state, for four weeks before the next term of this court.

Witness my hand as judge of our said court and the seal thereof. Done at office in Sedalia, in the county aforesaid, on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1890.

7-15w4t Z. F. BAILEY, Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF THE GRANT OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY.